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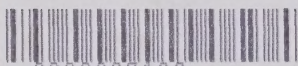
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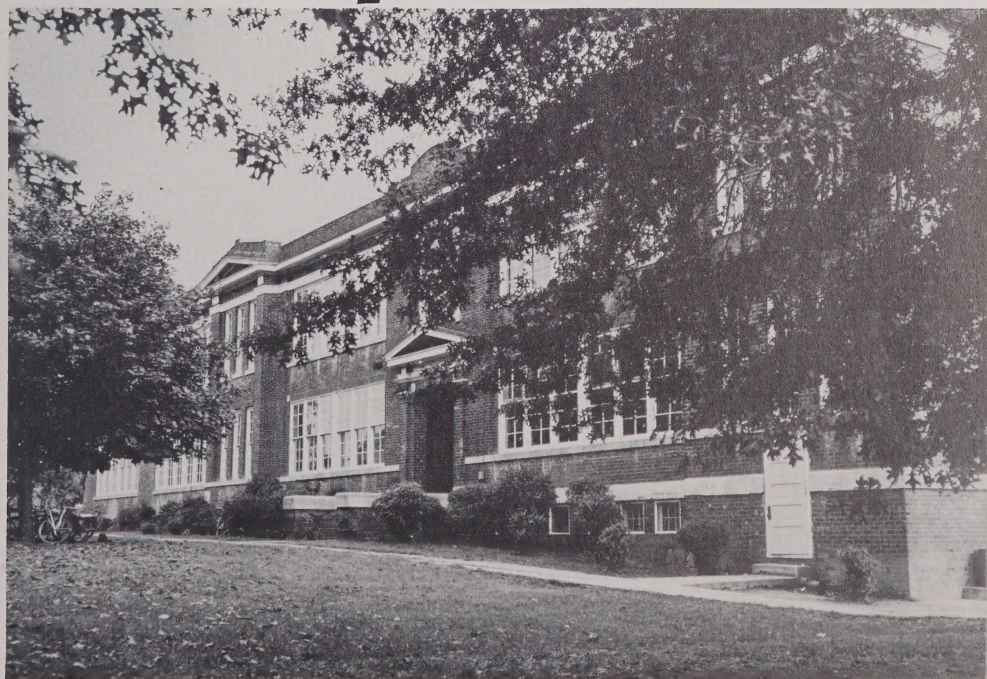
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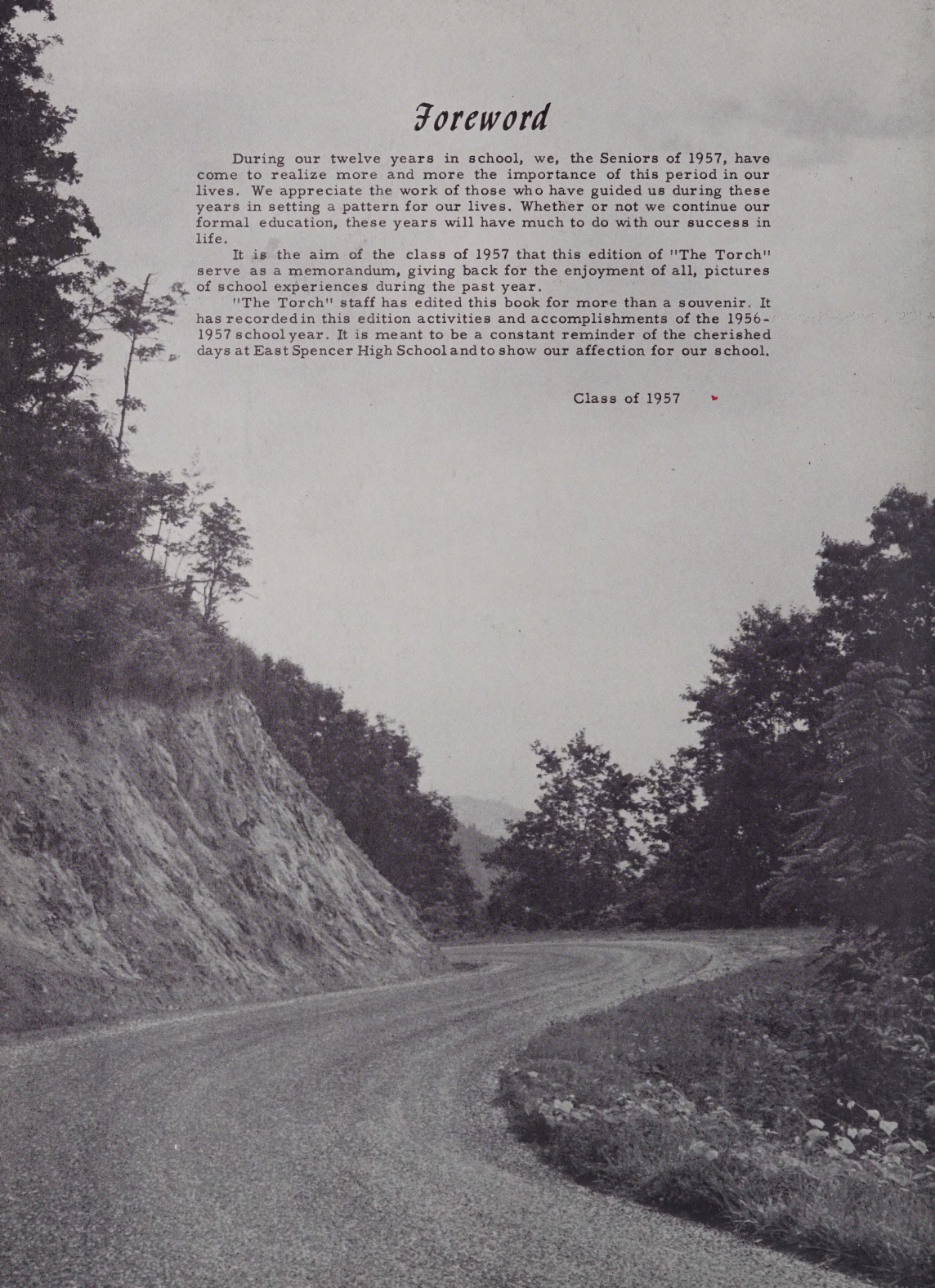
Foreword

During our twelve years in school, we, the Seniors of 1957, have come to realize more and more the importance of this period in our lives. We appreciate the work of those who have guided us during these years in setting a pattern for our lives. Whether or not we continue our formal education, these years will have much to do with our success in life.

It is the aim of the class of 1957 that this edition of "The Torch" serve as a memorandum, giving back for the enjoyment of all, pictures of school experiences during the past year.

"The Torch" staff has edited this book for more than a souvenir. It has recorded in this edition activities and accomplishments of the 1956-1957 school year. It is meant to be a constant reminder of the cherished days at East Spencer High School and to show our affection for our school.

Class of 1957





Dedication

We, the Seniors of East Spencer High School, hereby dedicate this, the thirteenth volume of "THE TORCH," to our parents for the great love they have given us and for the many sacrifices they have made during these twelve years, and---

To Mrs. Virginia Gobble, in appreciation for the wonderful things she has helped us to accomplish during our high school years, especially this, our last year, we also wish to dedicate this annual.



Class of 1957



MR. A. L. COMBS
B. A., Elon College
Graduate Student
University of North Carolina
Principal, Math

MRS. VIRGINIA GOBBLE
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Farmville, Virginia
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Commercial



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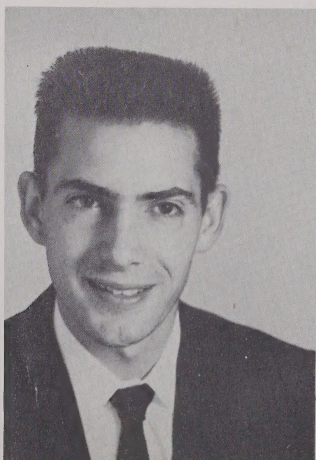
MRS. LUCILE S. CONNOR
A. B., Catawba College
Queens College
W. C. U. N. C.
Home Economics

Our

MRS. LOUISE D. COOPER
Women's College
Greensboro, North Carolina
Science

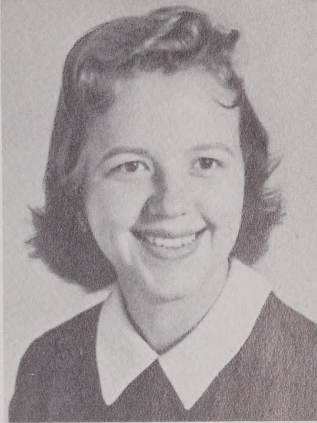
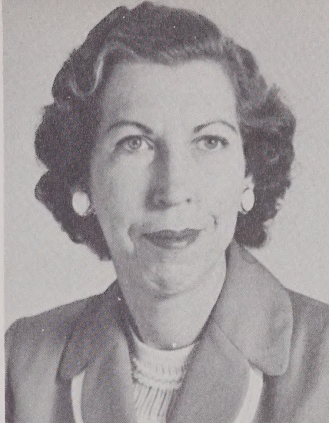
MR. THOMAS E. GRIFFIN
Western Carolina College
B. S. Degree in
Physical Education and English

MISS MARTHA MILLER
A. B., Catawba College



MRS. HAZEL MILLER
Appalachian State Teachers College

MISS JOAN TREXLER
A. B., Catawba College



MRS. MILDRED COFFEY
Mars Hill College
A. B., Meredith College
Wake Forest College
Catawba College

MRS. CLAUDIA SHARPE
Asheville Normal, Davidson
Women's College of the
University of North Carolina



Faculty

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A. B., Women's College of the
University of North Carolina

MRS. HAZELINE GRUBB JOWERS
A. B., Catawba College

MISS HELEN WALLER
Appalachian State Teachers College
Catawba College





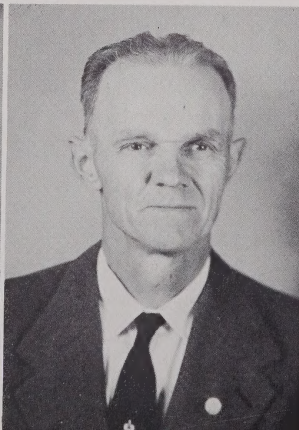
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Chairman

School Board

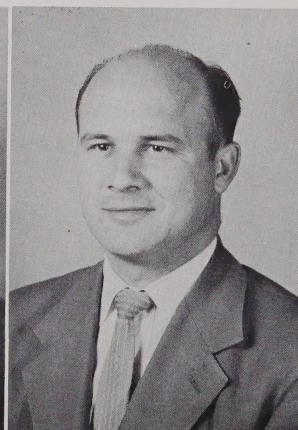
MR. JEWELL ALLEY



MR. S. G. MILLER



MR. CLEM E. NORRIS



MR. W. W. WEST



Class Officers

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Ray Morris

Treasurer
Gaynell Feezor

Vice-President
Patty Sue Mahaley

Secretary
Gail McDowell

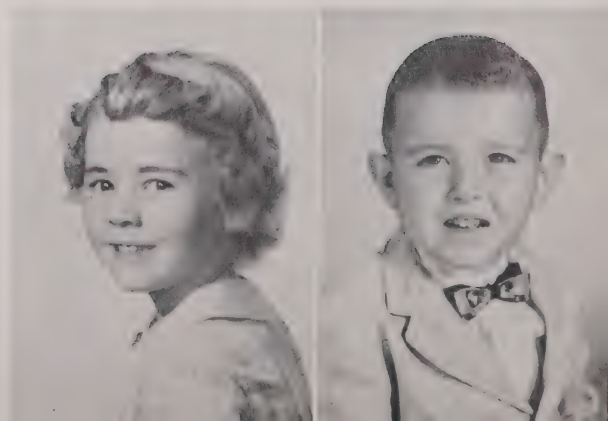


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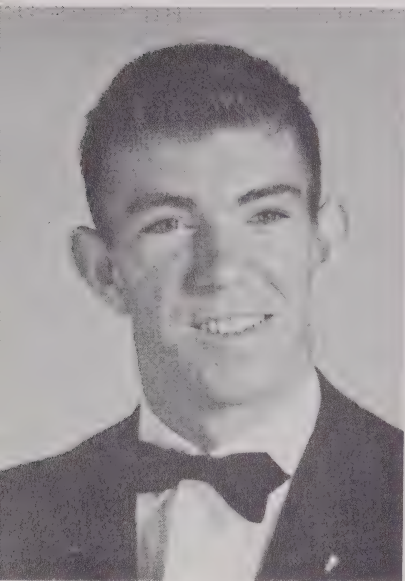
Mascots

Janice Snider

Steve Stoner



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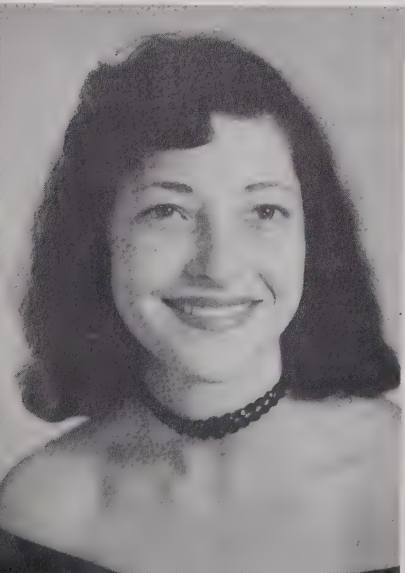


**CHARLOTTE LOUISE
CONNOR**
F. H. A. 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1;
Home Economics 1,2,3; Mono-
gram Club 3,4; Beacon Staff,
Business Manager 3; Torch Staff,
Circulation Manager 4; Basket-
ball Manager 2; Beta Club 2,3,4;
F.H.A. President 4; Superlative,
Most Original 4, Wittiest 4, Best
Sport 4.

WILLIAM RAY CROWELL
Beacon Staff, Art Editor 3; Shop
Class 1,2,3; Superlative, Quiet-
est 4.



ETHEL MAE FRICK
Home Economics 1,2; F.H.A. 1,
2,4; Superlative, Quietest 4.



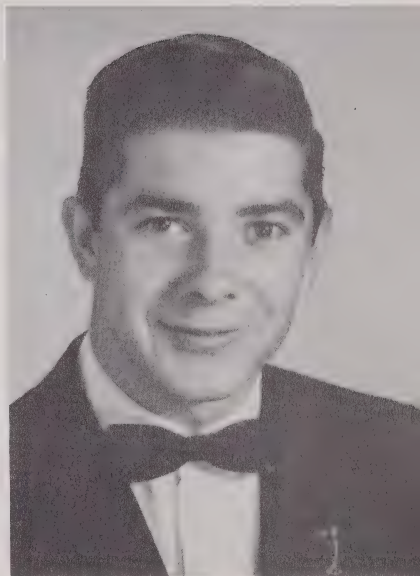
JOYCE GAYNELL FEEZOR
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Home Economics
1,2,3; Beta Club 2,3,4, Treasurer
4; Softball Team 2; Class Presi-
dent 3; Class Treasurer 4; Bea-
con Staff, Social Column 3; Jr.-
Sr. Play 3; Student Council Rep-
resentative 3; Superlative, Most
Conceited 4, Biggest Baby 4, Big-
gest Flirt 4; Torch Staff, Assis-
tant Business Manager 4; Class
Lawyer 4; Basketball 4; Drama-
tics Club 4.





JANET CAROLYN GOODMAN
Basketball 1,2,3; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4,
President 2, Treasurer 4; Help-
er Lunchroom Reports 1; Typist
Lunchroom Reports 4; School
store 1, 2, 3, 4; Class officer,
Vice-President 1, Class Treas-
urer 2, Class Secretary 3; Beta
Club 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4;
Beacon Staff, Editor 3; Junior
Marshal 3; Junior Play Usherette
3; Waitress for Junior-Senior
Banquet 2; Superlatives, Cutest
4, Most in Love 4, Most Sincere
4, Most Dependable 4; Torch
Staff, Advertising Manager 4;
Monogram Club 3,4; Student
Council Representative 3; Dra-
matics Club, Vice-President 4;
Home Economics 1,2,3.

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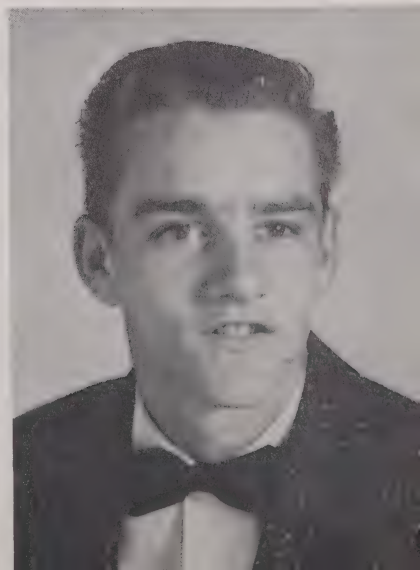


**HOWARD LOUIS
HONBARRIER**

Bus Driver 2; Shop Class 1,2;
Superlative, Most Ambitious 4;
Best Sport 4, Tardiest 4; Dra-
matics Club 4.



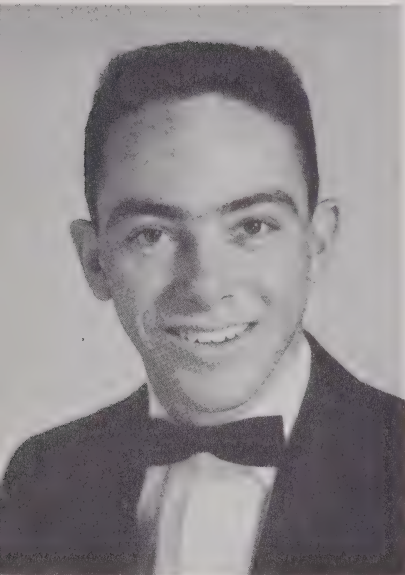
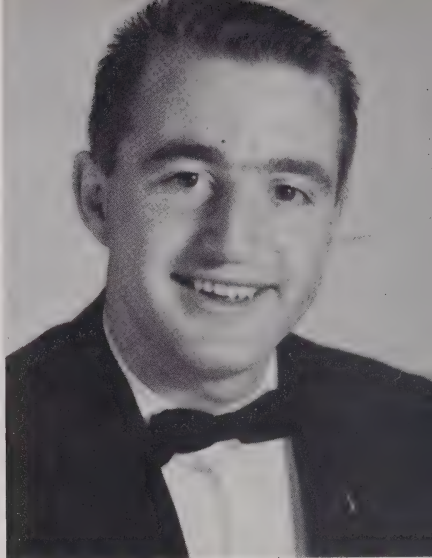
JERRY MARTIN IDDINGS
Beacon Staff, Joke Editor 3;
Cheerleader 2; Shop Class 1,2;
Waiter for Junior-Senior Ban-
quet 2; Monogram Club 3,4; Fire-
man 3,4, Chief 4; Bus Driver 3,
4; Class Lawyer 4; Superlative,
Biggest Flirt 4, Most in Love 4,
Most Popular 4.



ROSS DONALD JULIAN
Shop Class 1,2; Teacher Physical
Ed. 3,4; Basketball and Baseball
Manager 1; Basketball 2,3,4;
Monogram Club 3,4; Beacon
Staff, Assistant Business Man-
ager 3; Superlative, Most Ath-
letic 4; Class Reporter 4.

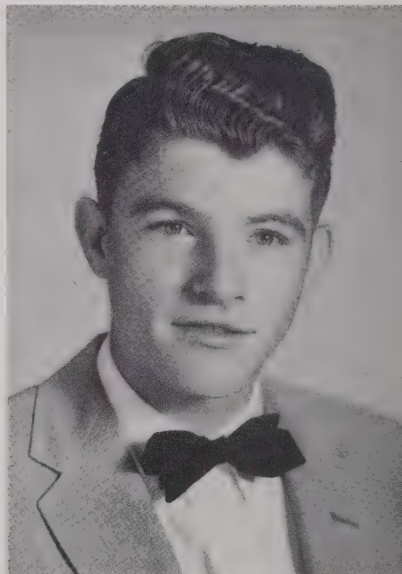
Seniors

MELVIN DOUGLAS LANNING
Class President 1; Baseball 1;
Torch Staff, Assistant Circulation
Manager 4; Superlative,
Friendliest 4, Most Original 4,
Most Courteous 4; Shop Class 1,
2; Fireman 2,3,4; Assistant Bus
Driver 1,2,3,4; Class Prophet 4.



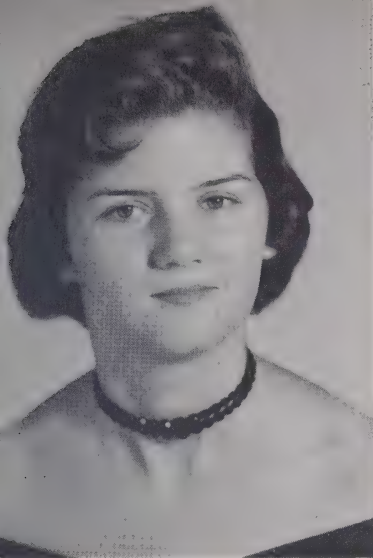
JAMES GARY KLUTTZ
Bus Driver 3,4; Shop Class 1,2;
Superlative, Most Likely To Succeed 4; Home Economics 4.

JAMES BROWN LYERLY
Beta Club 2,3,4; Shop 1,2; Superlative, Most Talented 4, Wittiest 4; Dramatics Club 3,4; Reporter for Beta Club 4.



RUBY ELLEN LOWMAN
Class Reporter 4; Cheerleader 3,4, Co-Captain 3, Captain 4; Torch Staff, Photography Editor 4; Superlative, Most Studious 4, Man-Hater 4; F. H. A. 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Monogram Club 3,4; Dramatics 3,4; Home Economics 1,2.





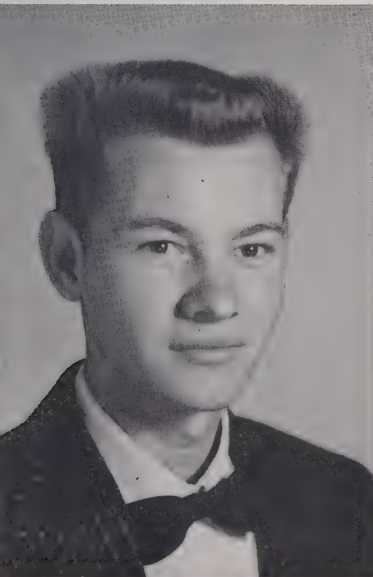
PATTY SUE MAHALEY
 Usherette for Jr.-Sr. Play 3;
 Class Secretary 1; Vice-President 4; Waitress for Junior-Senior Banquet 2; School Store 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4; Dramatics Club 3,4, Secretary 4; F. H.A. 1,2,3,4; Torch Staff, Business Manager 4; Class Historian 4; Junior Marshal 3; Home Economics 1,2,3; Superlative, Most Talented 4, Most Ambitious 4.

Seniors

SHIRLEY GAIL McDOWELL
 Class Officer, Reporter 1, Secretary 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 4, President of Rowan-Davie County 3, Representative to State Rally 3; Beta Club 2,3,4, President 4; Home Economics 1, 2,3; Beacon Staff, Girls' Sports Editor 3; Torch Staff, Assistant Editor 4; Junior Marshal 3; Jr.-Sr. Play 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4, Captain 4; Dramatics Club 3,4; Monogram Club 3,4, President 4, Reporter 3; Student Council, Vice-President 3, President 4; Softball Team 2; Miss Hi Miss 4; Halloween Queen 4; Class Prophet 4; Superlative, Friendliest 4, Best Looking 4, Most Popular 4, Most Athletic 4, Best All Around 4.



RAY MORRIS, JR.
 Class Officer, Vice-President 3, President 4; Fireman 1; Shop Class 1,2; Superlative, Most Sincere 4; Basketball 4; Baseball 4.



MARTHA FAYE MYRICK
 Class Officer, President 1, Class Reporter 2, Class Treasurer 3; Basketball 1,2,3; Beacon Staff, Assistant Editor 3; Torch Staff, Editor 4; Junior Marshal 3; Waitress for Junior-Senior Banquet 2; Superlative, Most Courteous 4, Neatest 4, Most Likely To Succeed 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Beta Club 2,3,4, Reporter 4; Junior-Senior Play 3; Monogram Club 3,4, Secretary 4; School Store 1,2,3,4; Dramatics Club 3, 4, President 4; Future Teachers Club 3, Reporter 3; Student Council Representative 4; Home Economics 1,2; Girls' State 3.

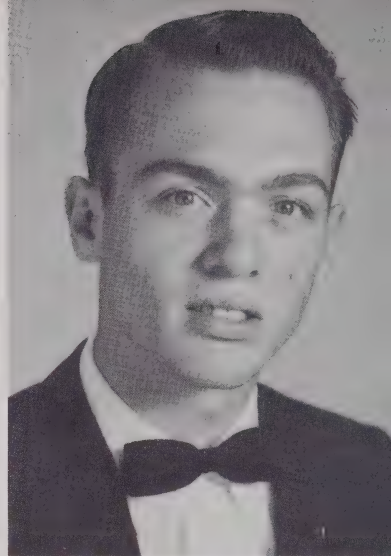


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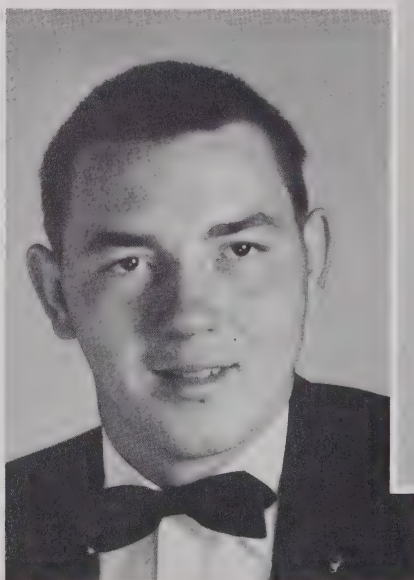
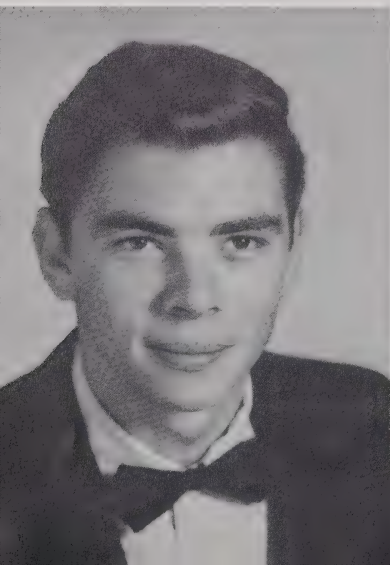
GLENN CHARLES THOMASON
Shop Class 1,2; Beta Club 2,3,4;
Dramatics Club 3,4; Future
Teachers Club 3; Beacon Staff,
Assistant Art Editor 3; Jr.-Sr.
Play 3; Basketball 3,4; Jr. Mar-
shal, Chief 3; Boys' State 3;
Monogram Club 3,4; Assistant
Bus Driver 3,4; Superlative,
Biggest Baby 4, Most Studious 4,
Most Conceited 4; Fireman 3;
Voice of Democracy Contest,
District Winner 3.

ROBERT JAMES RUSHER
Beacon Staff, Sports Editor 3;
Torch Staff, Sports Editor 4;
Waiter Jr.-Sr. 2; Fireman 4;
Class Historian 4; Shop 1,2;
Home Economics 3; E.S.H.S.
King 4; Superlative, Best All
Around 4, Most Dependable 4,
Neatest 4, Cutest 4.



JAMES RICHARD WILSON
Entered from Spencer '55; Su-
perlative, Woman Hater 4.

RAYMOND DAVID SNIDER
Entered from Spencer '55; Shop
Class 1; Home Economics 4;
Torch Staff, Activity Editor 4;
Fireman 4; Bus Driver 4; Super-
lative, Best Looking 4.



ROY BURL YOUNG, JR.
Entered '56.

Class History

Experiences by the score--a few sad ones, but most of them happy--have been a part of our school life since that fateful day in nineteen hundred forty-five when we, timidly and with a few misgivings, first made our debut at East Spencer School. In that first year we made new friends who were to be our classmates for the next twelve years. There were Charlotte Connor, Gail McDowell, Glenn Thomason, Gaynell Feezor, Jerry Iddings, Ellen Lowman, James Lyerly, Martha Myrick, Ethel Frick, Howard Honbarrier, Sonny Rusher and Patty Sue Mahaley.

To start us off on our journey was Mrs. Folger who taught us the simple reading and writing. Soon our first year was over and after a summer vacation we entered the second grade.

This year we settled down and began learning our readin', 'riting, and 'rithmetic in earnest. Miss Waller was our teacher.

Next came the third grade and Miss McColman was our teacher. This year we were proud that we each had an individual desk. We also found that Ross Julian and Bill Crowell had decided to wait for us.

In the fourth grade we started on a trip around the world, using as a guide our geography book. Mrs. Sharpe was our teacher this year.

The next year we ventured into the fifth grade. That year classes were doubled up, and some of us were taught by Mrs. Coffey and some by Mrs. Sharpe.

In the sixth grade we were able to be together again with Mrs. Trexler as our teacher. This year we presented a minstrel show, which everyone enjoyed.

Then came the seventh grade with Mrs. Porter as our teacher. We were still studying the same subjects as we had been studying for the past few years, and there was still that sluggish geography to learn.

Now we were in the eighth grade with Miss Miller as our teacher and only one year away from high school. The trip to Raleigh was eagerly anticipated, and it proved to be every bit as interesting as we expected. To join us this year was Ray Morris who came from Henderson School in Salisbury.

Freshmen at last! With Mrs. Cooper as our home room teacher, we were able to join in the high school activities. The monster, called high school, bewildered us a bit, but the year was gone before we found time to worry.

Then we were sophomores, and we had again as our home room teacher, Mrs. Cooper. The studies were a little harder, but we were a bit more prepared. Jimmy Klutz joined us this year.

At last, we were "excited juniors" with Mrs. Rankin, our home room teacher, helping us in every way. To finance the Junior-Senior banquet we sold candy and had square dances. We also published the school paper, "The Beacon." To join us this year were Raymond Snider, Jim Wilson, and Melvin Lanning.

At last in August, 1956, we were dignified seniors with Mrs. Gobble as our home room teacher. Under the supervision of Mrs. Rankin we published the thirteenth volume of "The Torch." To join us this year was Burl Young.

Soon the day will come when we shall leave our friends and start out on our own. We hope that in the future each will find his place in this great, big world and be very successful.

We express our deepest thanks and appreciation to our parents and faculty for all the leadership, patience, and understanding they have given us throughout the past twelve years.

Patty Mahaley and Sonny Rusher
Historians

Class Prophecy

As the much anticipated graduation for the class of nineteen hundred fifty-seven draws near, we clear the dust off our crystal ball and see what the future holds for each member of our class.

As the haze of our crystal ball clears, there seems to be some excitement--I believe it's a race. It is! A stock car race. Dare-devils Sonny Rusher and Raymond Snider are giving their usual good performance--but wait--something has happened. A smash up! But don't worry. Doctor Howard Honbarrier and his two nurses, Patty Mahaley and Ellen Lowman, are rushing out to give excellent medical attention. We also see the Reverend Glenn Thomason going out to offer a prayer.

Melvin Lanning, the sports commentator, is announcing over the loud speaker that no one was hurt, and after a fifteen minute intermission the race will proceed.

As we give our order at the concession stand, we recognize Ethel Frick working as a cashier, and coming over to talk to us are Gaynell Feezor and her oil millionaire husband, who have just returned from Europe. From her we learn that Charlotte Connor is honeymooning in Hawaii with her new husband, who is president of the Chrysler Corporation.

As we return to our seats, we run into Mrs. Charles Huffman, formerly Janet Goodman, with her twin sons. From Janet we learn that Martha Myrick is studying business administration at UCLA.

As we arrive at our seats, we see that Colonel Ross Julian and Major Ray Morris of the Army and Lieutenant-Colonel Jerry Iddings of the Air Force are now occupying box seats to our left. Jerry tells us that he is married to Ann Beaver, his former high school girl friend. Ross and Ray are still available bachelors.

The race ends and we go to congratulate the winners, Sonny and Raymond, who introduce us to their mechanics. We recognize them as none other than former classmates, Jimmy Kluttz and Jim Wilson.

Leaving the track, we enjoy music by James Lyerly, who has taken Liberace's place in the hearts of all single girls.

After a short trip home, Mrs. Jimmie Kesler, formerly Gail McDowell, picks up the evening paper and turns to the sports page to find that Bill Crowell has just won a trip around the world for designing the world's fastest car, which won the 1960 race with Burl Young as the driver.

As each of us goes his or her way, the light from the crystal ball dims. The images fade within its magic interior. We wait patiently--but all in vain! The crystal is smarter than we think. It knows its limitations in regards to its revelations of the future.

Gail McDowell and Melvin Lanning
Prophets

Last Will And Testament

In the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-seven we, the Seniors of East Spencer High School, hereby give our last will and testament.

To our parents, we give our sincere thanks for their guidance through the past years.

To our school, we leave our memories--good and bad.

To the faculty goes our appreciation for helping us get started in economic and social life.

To the Juniors, we leave our place as Seniors of East Spencer High.

To the Sophomores, hopes of success through the coming years.

To the Freshmen, wishes for four treasured years at E.S.H.S.

Gail McDowell wills her superlative, "Most Popular," to her sister Carol, hoping her school memories will be as dear as Gail's have been.

Melvin Lanning leaves his ability to talk in class and still get an "A" on conduct to his brother "Dub."

To Elbert Kluttz goes Bill Crowell's art ability with hopes that he may use it to an advantage.

Ross Julian wills his position in the U. S. Army Reserves to anyone planning to serve his country and finish school, too.

Ray Morris leaves his superlative, "Most Sincere," to Eugene Bailey, hoping that he succeeds in whatever he does.

Charlotte Connor wills her superlative, "Wittiest," to Lois Bass with wishes that it gains her as many friends as it has for Charlotte.

James Lyerly leaves his "unknown talent" to his sister Edith, hoping her friends discover it as his did.

Glenn Thomason leaves his set of encyclopedias to anyone planning to read A through Z to pass time during the summer vacation.

Janet Goodman wills her superlative, "Most In Love," to Vivian Stoner, hoping she finds the right one.

Jerry Iddings wills his superlative, "Most In Love," to Ann Beaver with sincere hopes that they may remain that way.

Raymond Snider leaves his ability to get along with girls to Jimmy Fleming, knowing he is going to need it with all those girl friends he has.

Martha Myrick passes her superlative, "Most Likely To Succeed," to her sister Jean, wishing her the best of luck.

Howard Honbarrier leaves his ambition to study electronics to anyone who wants to take math, algebra, physics, chemistry and geometry.

Jim Kluttz wills his bus driving ability to anyone brave enough to tackle a bus load of kids and a bumpy by-pass.

Patty Mahaley leaves her love for music to Brenda Mahaley, hoping she uses her talent to advantage.

Gaynell Feezor wills her superlative, "Biggest Flirt," to any girl who can find as many excuses for not dating the boys as she did.

Sonny Rusher leaves his Amoco Service to anyone planning to go into a business partnership. Let's hope the other partner doesn't have to work as much as Sonny's partner, Richard, has had to work.

Jim Wilson wills his quiet but friendly ways to his brother Arnold, hoping he gains as many new friends as Jim has.

Ethel Frick leaves her superlative, "Quietest," to anyone wanting to make an "A" on conduct but for some reason hasn't been able to do so.

To Jacqueline Koontz goes Ellen Lowman's superlative, "Most Studious," with hopes that it helps her as much as it helped Ellen.

Burl Young wills his cheerful personality to Nelson Chunn, hoping his friends increase as rapidly as Burl's have.

The foregoing was in our presence left by the Seniors, and at their request we hereunto subscribe our names as witnesses at East Spencer, North Carolina, 1957.

Lawyers:

Gaynell Feezor
Jerry Iddings

Witnesses: Ennie, Meenie, Miny, Moe



CUTEST
Sonny Rusher - Janet Goodman



FRIENDLIEST
Melvin Lanning - Gail McDowell

Superlatives

WITTIEST
James Lyerly - Charlotte Connor



MOST STUDIOUS
Ellen Lowman - Glenn Thomas





BEST LOOKING
Raymond Snider - Gail McDowell



MOST ORIGINAL
Charlotte Connor - Melvin Lanning

Superlatives

MOST ATHLETIC
Ross Julian - Gail McDowell



BIGGEST BABY
Gaynell Feezor - Glenn Thomason





MOST COURTEOUS
Melvin Lanning - Martha Myrick



MOST AMBITIOUS
Patty Mahaley - Howard Honbarrier

Superlatives

QUIETEST
Ethel Frick - Bill Crowell



MOST SINCERE
Janet Goodman - Ray Morris





BIGGEST FLIRT
Gaynell Feezor - Jerry Iddings



BEST ALL-AROUND
Sonny Rusher - Gail McDowell

Superlatives

Manhater - Womanhater
Ellen Lowman - Jim Wilson



BEST SPORT
Howard Honbarrier - Charlotte Connor





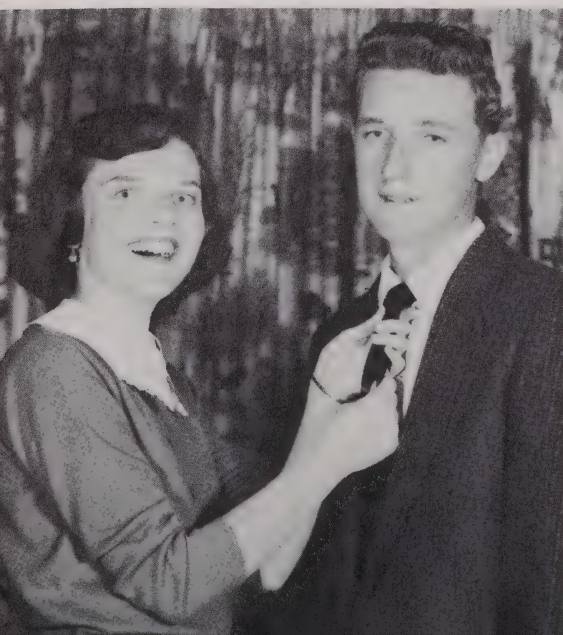
MOST DEPENDABLE
Sonny Rusher - Janet Goodman



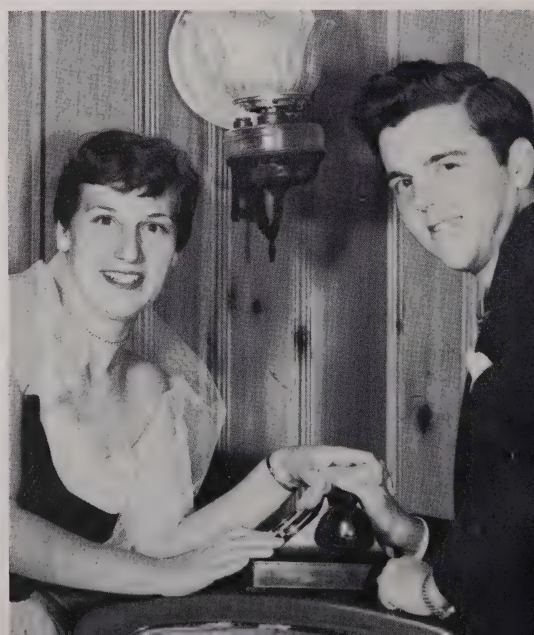
MOST CONCEITED
Glenn Thomason - Gaynell Feezor

Superlatives

NEATEST
Martha Myrick - Sonny Rusher

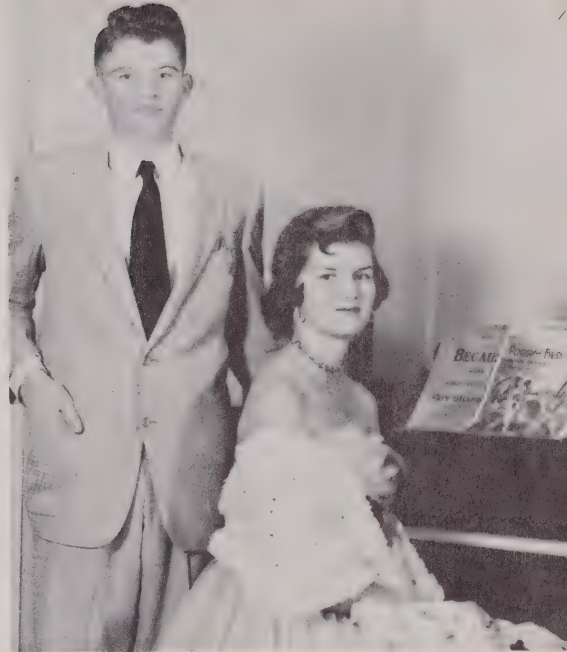


MOST POPULAR
Gail McDowell - Jerry Iddings





MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Martha Myrick - Jimmy Kluttz



MOST TALENTED
James Lyerly - Patty Mahaley

Superlatives

MOST IN LOVE
Jerry Iddings - Janet Goodman



TARDIEST
Howard Honbarrier - Charlotte Connor





"Gay"



"Susie"



"Professor"



"Jan"



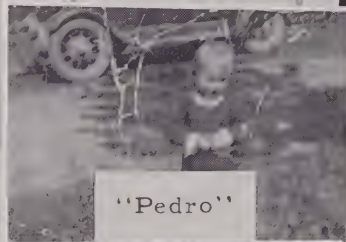
"Red"



"Sonny"



"Ruby"



"Pedro"



"Mack"



"Jim"



"Sis"



"Little M"



"Ross"



"Honeybear"



"Jim"



"Ray"



"Link"



"Boots"

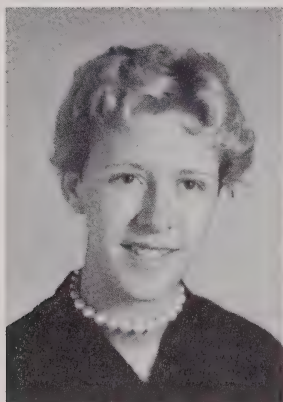


Class Officers

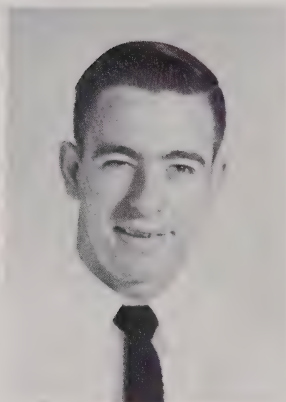
Walter Lanning	VICE PRESIDENT
Mary Jo Small	TREASURER
Wanda Gilland	SECRETARY
Arnold Wilson	PRESIDENT

Juniors

Juniors



Lois Bass



Junior Benfield



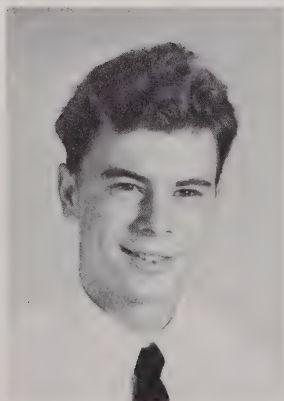
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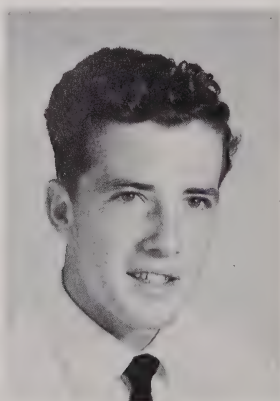
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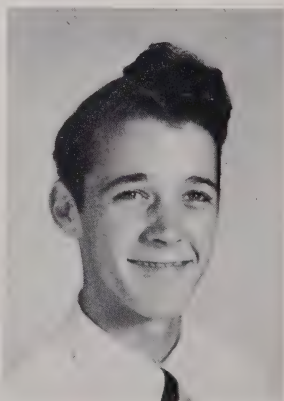
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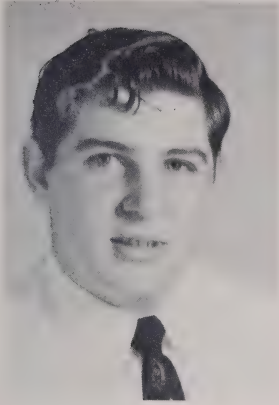


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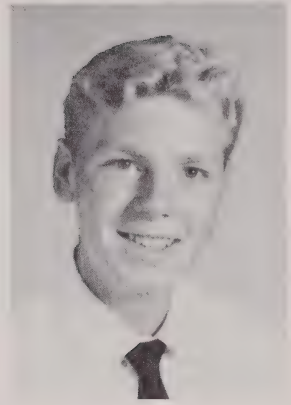
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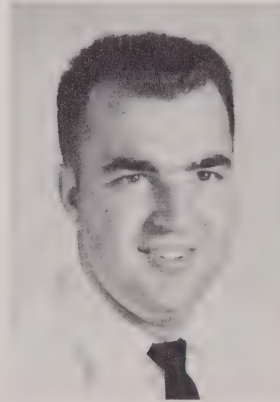
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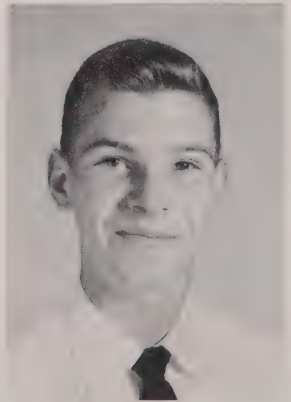
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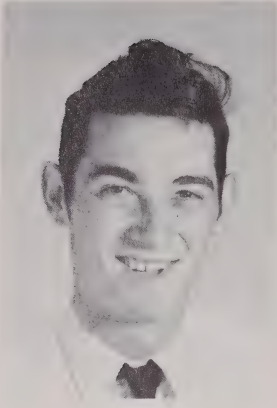


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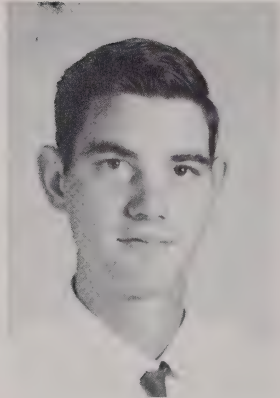


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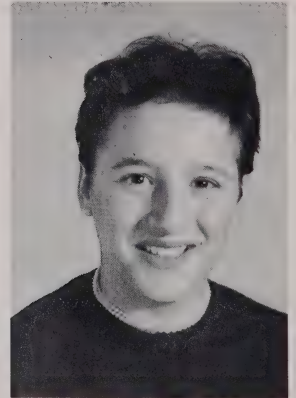
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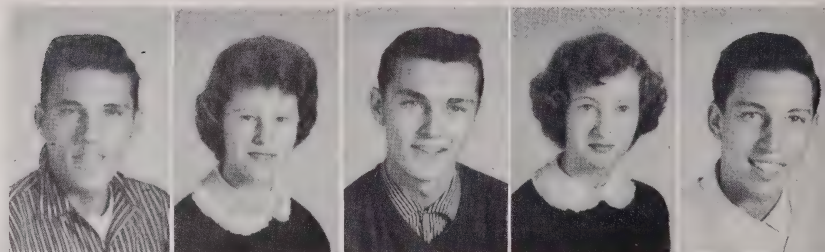
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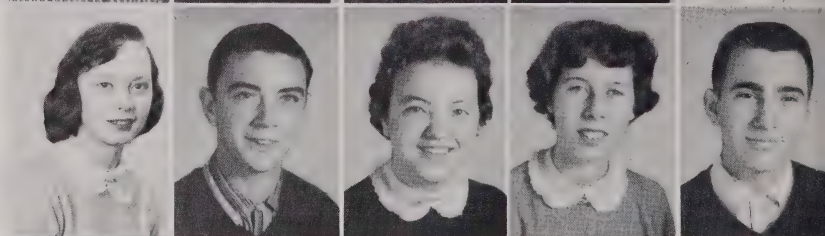
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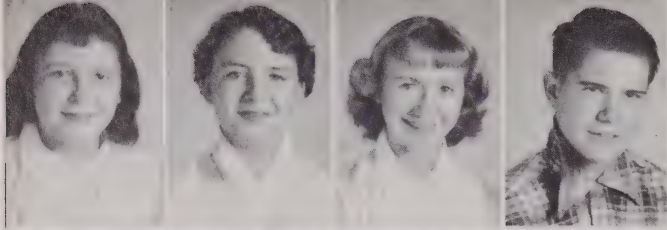




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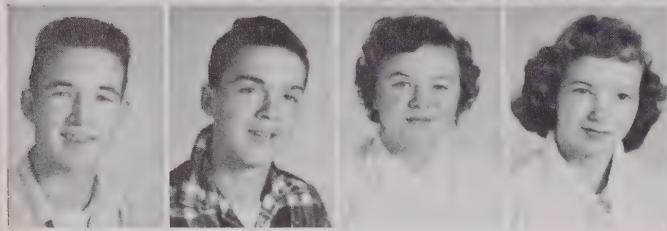
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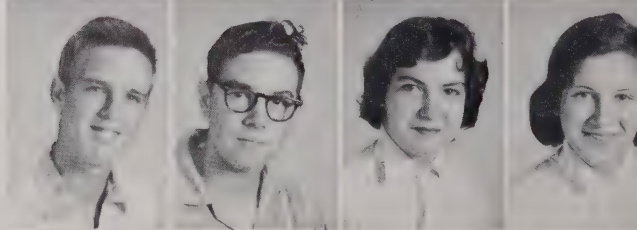
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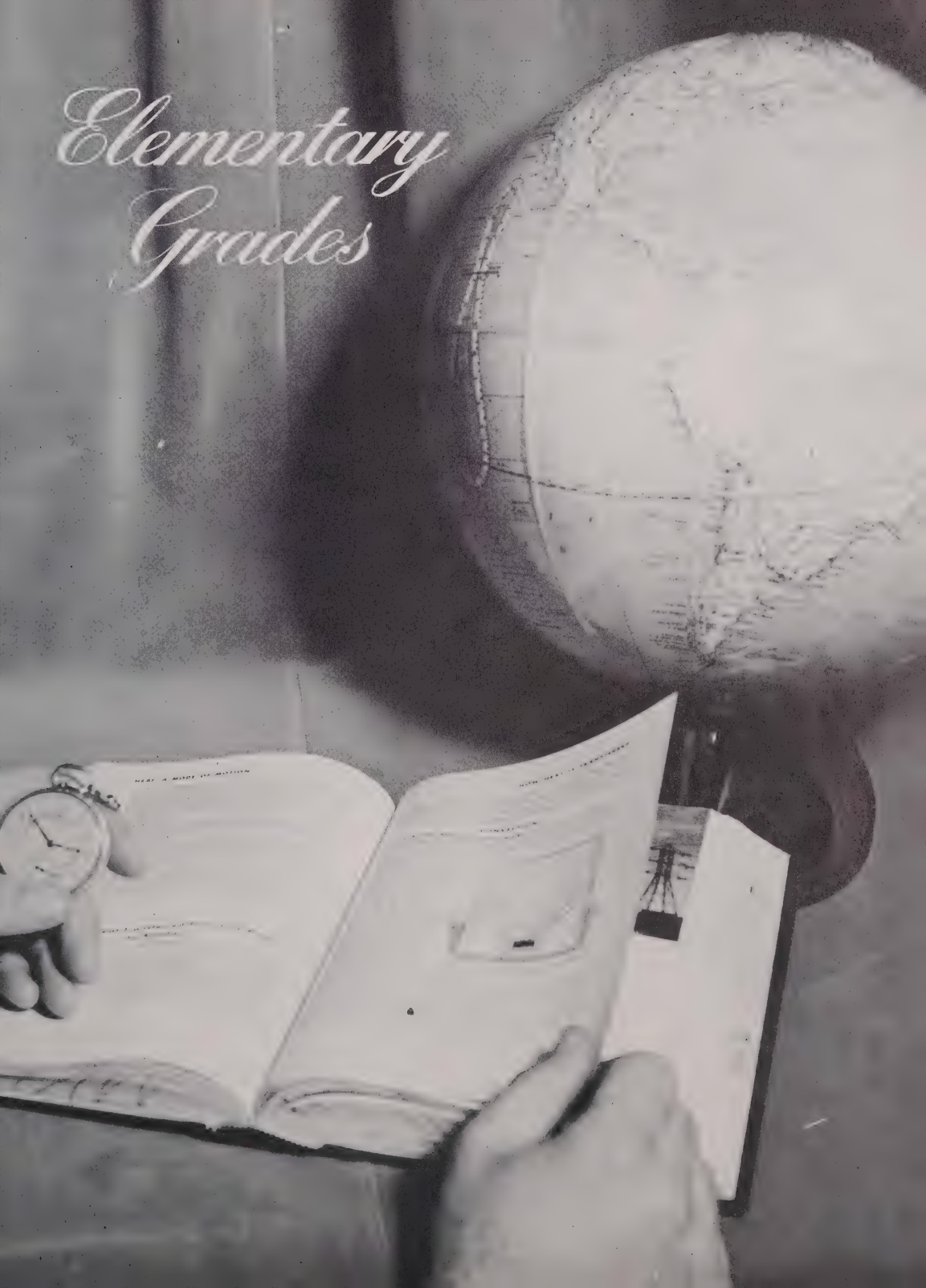
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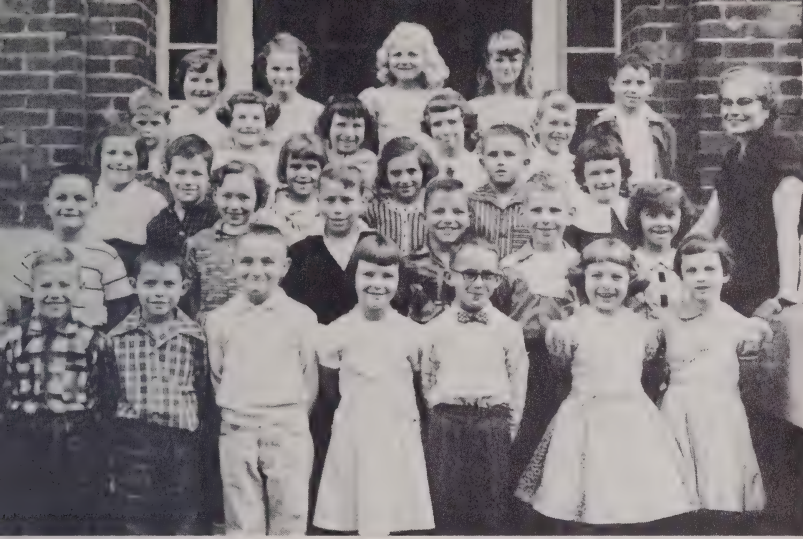


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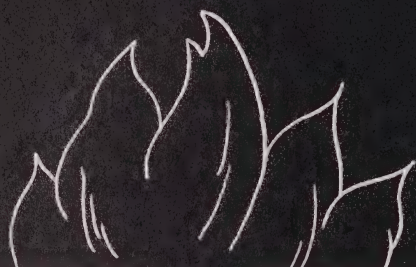
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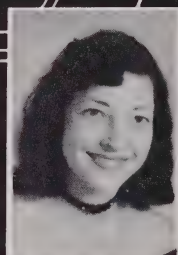
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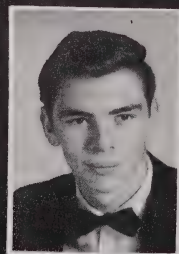
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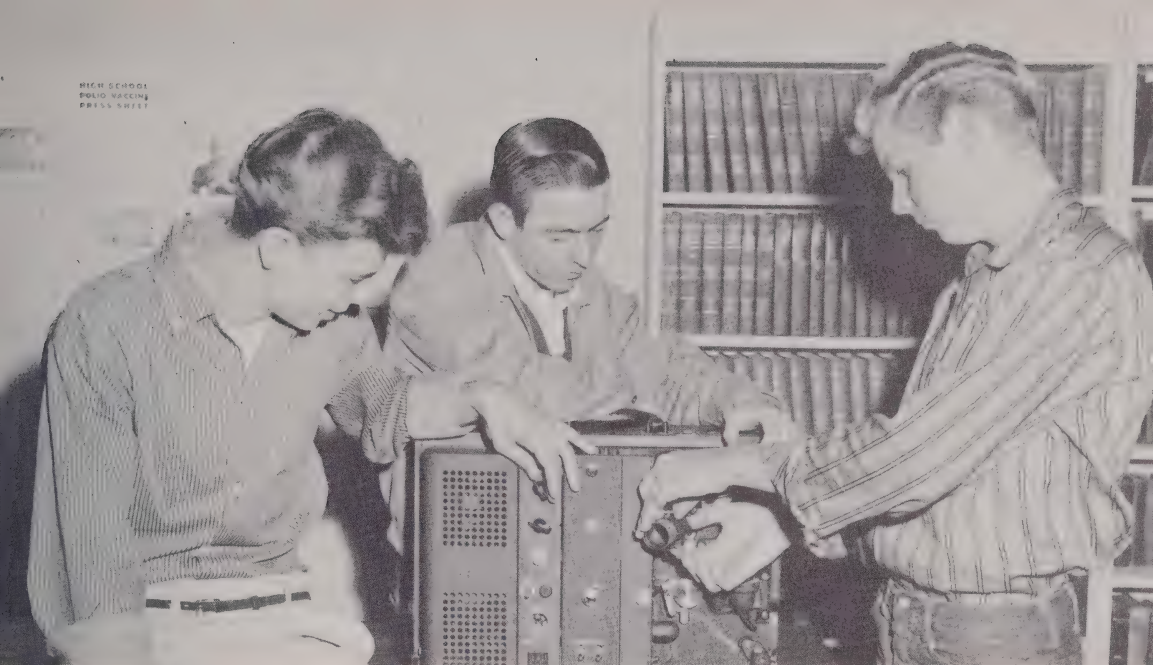
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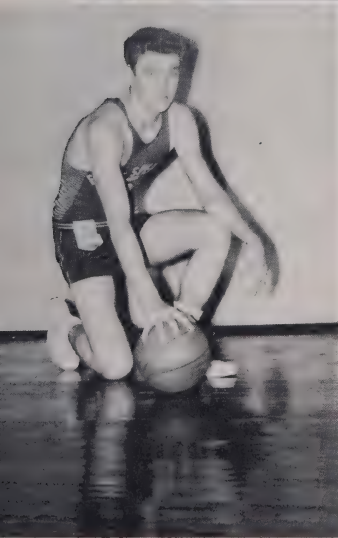


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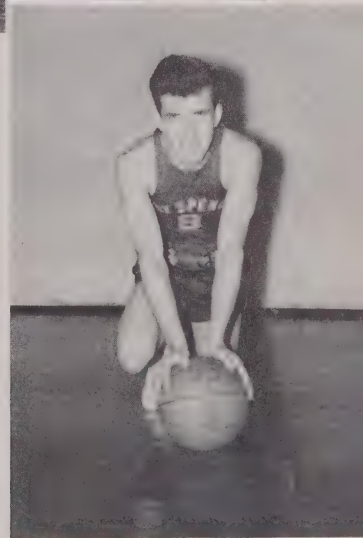
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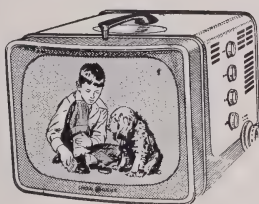
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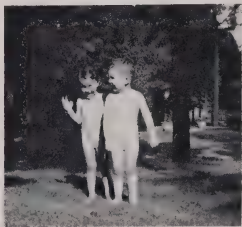
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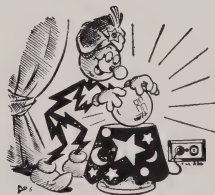
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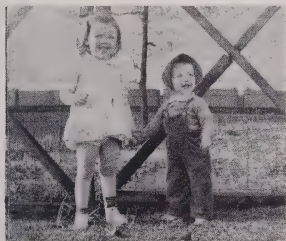


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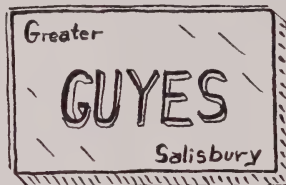
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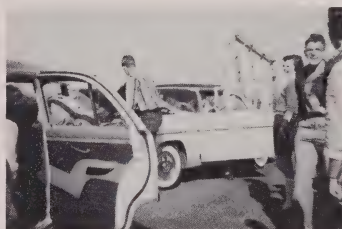
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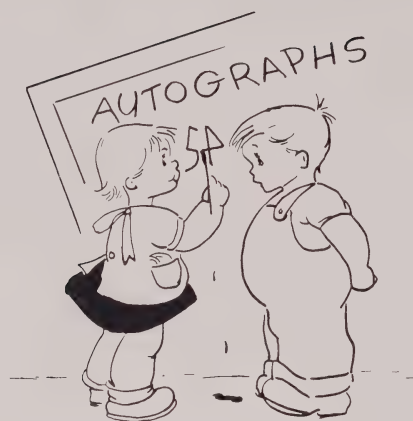
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